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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0032] of the originally filed specification with the replacement paragraph provided below.

--[0032] Fly ash particles are typically spherical and range in diameter from about 1 to 100 microns. In a preferred embodiment, the fly ash comprises two components. A first `larger` size particles of fly ash with preferably about a 100 micron maximum size. This size range of fly ash is used in the slurry to aid in improving the dewatering characteristics of the slurry but also as a moderately reactive pozzolan pozzalan. --

Please replace paragraph [0033] of the originally filed specification with the replacement paragraph provided below.

--[0033] The second `smaller` fly ash size zone which preferably has about a 10 micron maximum size also adds an improving dewatering characteristic but is a more highly reactive pozzolan pozzalan. This `smaller` fly ash particle zone also improves the sanded surface quality of the finish layer. --